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(b) *Requirements.* Service between December 7, 1941, and December 31, 1946, both dates inclusive.

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§ 578.48 Army of Occupation Medal.

Established by section I, WD General Orders 32, 1946:

(a) *Requirements.* Service for 30 consecutive days at a normal post of duty (as contrasted to inspector, visitor, courier, escort, passenger status, temporary duty, or detached service) while assigned to any of the following armies of occupation:

(1) Army of Occupation of Germany (exclusive of Berlin) between May 9, 1945, and May 5, 1955. (Service between May 9, and November 8, 1945, will be counted only if the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to May 8, 1945.)

(i) Service for the prescribed period with an organization which has been designated in Department of the Army general orders as having met the requirements for the Berlin airlift device on an individual basis in orders issued by appropriate field authority will qualify the individual for the award.

(ii) The orders announcing the award of the Berlin airlift device will specifically award the Army of Occupation Medal to persons not otherwise eligible therefor.

(2) Army of Occupation of Austria between May 9, 1945, and July 27, 1955. (Service between May 9, and November 8, 1945, will be counted only if the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to May 9, 1945.)

(3) Army of Occupation of Berlin between May 9, 1945, and a terminal date to be announced later. (Service between May 9, and November 8, 1945, will be counted only if the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to May 9, 1945.)

(4) Army of Occupation of Italy between May 9, 1945, and September 15, 1947, in the compartment of Venezia Giulia E Zara or Province of Udine, or with a unit in Italy as designated in DA General Orders 4, 1947. (Service between May 9, and November 8, 1945, will be counted only if the European-Afri-

can-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to May 9, 1945.)

(5) Army of Occupation of Japan between September 3, 1945, and April 27, 1952, in the four main islands of Hokkaido, Honshu, Shokoku, and Kyushu, the surrounding small islands of the Japanese homeland, the Ryukyu Islands, and the Bonin-Volcano Islands. (Service between September 3, 1945, and March 2, 1946, will be counted only if the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to September 3, 1945. In addition, service which meets the requirements for the Korean Service Medal as prescribed in § 578.48b will not be counted in determining eligibility for this medal.)

(6) Army Occupation of Korea between September 3, 1945, and June 29, 1949, inclusive. (Service between September 3, 1945, and March 2, 1946, will be counted only if the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal was awarded for service prior to September 3, 1945.)

(b) *Description.* The medal of bronze is 1¼ inches in diameter. On the obverse the Remagen Bridge abutments below the words "Army of Occupation." On the reverse Fujiyama with a low hanging cloud over two Japanese junks above a wave scroll and the date "1945." The medal is suspended by a ring from a silk moire ribbon 1¾ inches in length and 1⅜ inches in width composed of a white stripe (⅜ inch), black band (½ inch), red band (½ inch), and white stripe (⅜ inch).

(c) *Clasps*—(1) *Requirements.* A clasp appropriately inscribed will be issued with each award of the Army of Occupation Medal to denote the area in which occupation duty was rendered.

(2) *Description.* The clasp is a bronze bar ⅝ inch in width and 1½ inches in length with the word "Germany" or "Japan" inscribed thereon.

(d) *Berlin airlift device*—(1) *Requirements.* Service for 90 consecutive days with a unit credited with participation in the Berlin airlift, or awarded the device by competent field authority on an individual basis.

(2) *Description.* The Berlin airlift device is a gold colored metal miniature

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of a C-54 type aircraft of $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch wing span, other dimensions proportionate.

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§ 578.48a Medal for Humane Action.

Established by the Act of July 20, 1949 (63 Stat. 447; 10 U.S.C. 1430d, Supp. III).

(a) *Description.* The medal of bronze is $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter. On the obverse is a facsimile of a C-54 airplane within a wreath of wheat centering at the bottom of the coat of arms of the city of Berlin, Germany. The reverse bears the eagle, shield, and arrows from the seal of the Department of Defense beneath the words "For Humane Action" and above the quotation "To Supply Necessities Of Life To The People of Berlin, Germany." The medal is suspended by a ring from a silk moire ribbon $1\frac{3}{8}$ inches in length and $1\frac{3}{8}$ inches in width, banded in black ($\frac{9}{32}$ inch) on each edge symmetrically inclosing white strips ($\frac{1}{16}$ inch) outside blue bands ($\frac{9}{32}$ inch) followed by white stripes ($\frac{3}{64}$ inch) centering one stripe of red ($\frac{1}{32}$ inch).

(b) *Requirements*—(1) *General.* Service for at least 120 days during the period June 26, 1948, and September 30, 1949, inclusive, within the boundaries of the Berlin airlift operations prescribed in paragraph (c) of this section, while participating in the Berlin airlift or in direct support thereof, by the following individuals:

(i) Members of the Armed Forces of the United States.

(ii) Persons other than members of the Armed Forces of the United States when recommended for meritorious participation.

(2) *Posthumous.* Awards may be made to those persons who lost their lives while participating in the Berlin airlift, or as a direct result of participating therein, without regard to the length of such service, provided all other requirements prescribed in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph have been complied with.

(c) *Boundaries of area of Berlin airlift operations*—(1) *Northern Boundary.* 54th parallel north latitude.

(2) *Eastern boundary.* 14th meridian east longitude.

(3) *Southern boundary.* 48th parallel north latitude.

(4) *Western boundary.* 5th meridian west longitude.

(d) *Awards.* No individual will be awarded more than one Medal for Humane Action, regardless of the number of times he may qualify for an award.

[15 FR 5993, Sept. 6, 1950, as amended at 16 FR 391, Jan. 16, 1951]

§ 578.48b Korean Service Medal.

Established by Executive Order 10179, November 9, 1950 (3 CFR, 1950 Supp.).

(a) *Requirements.* Service between June 27, 1950, and July 27, 1954, under any of the following conditions:

(1) Within the territorial limits of Korea or in the waters immediately adjacent thereto; or

(2) With a unit under the operational control of CINCFE, other than one within the territorial limits of Korea, which has been designated by the Commander in Chief, Far East, as having directly supported the military effort in Korea; or

(3) Was furnished an individual certificate by the Commander in Chief, Far East, testifying to material contribution made in direct support of the military effort in Korea.

(4) The service prescribed must have been performed while:

(i) On permanent assignment; or

(ii) On temporary duty for 30 consecutive days or 60 days not consecutive; or

(iii) In active combat against the enemy under conditions other than those prescribed in paragraphs (a)(4)(i) and (ii) of this section, provided a combat decoration has been awarded or an individual certificate has been furnished by the commander of an independent force or of a division, ship, or air group, or comparable or higher unit, testifying to such combat credit.

(b) *Description.* The medal of bronze is $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter. (Design to be announced later.) The medal is suspended by a ring from a silk moire ribbon $1\frac{3}{8}$ inches in length and $1\frac{3}{8}$ inches in width composed of a white stripe ($\frac{1}{32}$ inch), United Nations blue band ($\frac{19}{32}$ inch), white stripe ($\frac{1}{8}$ inch), United Nations blue band ($\frac{19}{32}$ inch), and white stripe ($\frac{1}{32}$ inch).